## **AMENDMENT**

Kindly amend the application as follows:

## **IN THE ABSTRACT**:

Kindly replace the Abstract, as originally filed, in its entirety, with the new Abstract as recited in the attached, separate sheet.

## **ABSTRACT**

Methods and compounds for inhibiting the enzymes adenosine monophosphate deaminase or adenoside deaminase are provided. Such methods and compounds are useful in agriculture, horticulture and/or pharmacology as, for example, active compounds for crop protection or pharmaceuticals for humans or animals.